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IPSUM DOLOR SIT AMET, CLASS NISL QUIS, FUSCE HENDRERIT, SUSPENDISSE EU QUIS MI NISL ULTRICIES, EGET ID VEL PURUS FRINGILLA. POSUERE PURUS ODIO PEDE ERAT. SOCIIS VESTIBULUM PLACERAT LUCTUS RUTRUM, ERAT ULTRICIES VEHICULA PROIN MORBI UT ARCU, SED BIBENDUM WISI SED AMET AMET FELIS. TURPIS AENEAN AUGUE HENDRERIT MUS, EST AENEAN PORTA, POSSIMUS QUAM UT AC JUSTO ET CONGUE PRAESENT PELLENTESQUE SAGITTIS, VITAE PLACERAT TORTOR ORCI POSUERE, DONEC PEDE WISI SAPIEN QUAM ETIAM. VEHICULA ARCU AMET DOLOR ARCU ORNARE, NULLA VESTIBULUM MAGNA, VITAE VEL SAPIEN MOLLIS VEL FUSCE MOLESTIE TELLUS, IPSUM NULLA A LECTUS. TORTOR AMET VESTIBULUM URNA SIT EGET.

AH. SINGH.

SALAR.

I'LL GET TO THE POINT. WE HAVE LAID THE GROUNDWORK FOR A VERY LUCRATIVE DEAL WITH A CERTAIN... INDIVIDUAL. HE HAS THE CONNECTIONS INTO EUROPE THAT WE LOST AFTER THE RUSSIANS CLAMPED DOWN ON OUR CAUCASUS ROUTES.

WHAT ARE WE BUYING?

WEAPONS. THE ORDINARY SORT, FIREARMS AND EXPLOSIVES, AND ALSO...

SOME MORE...UNUSUAL AND DESIRABLE ITEMS.

CLINK

THIS IS SARIF-GRADE STUFF. MILITARY. WHO DID IT COME OUT OF?

THE SELLER'S COURIER. I JUST UNBOXED IT.

HIS CONTACT INFORMATION.

MAKE IT HAPPEN, SINGH. YOU'VE BEEN ONE OF US FOR THREE YEARS. PROVE YOU'RE READY TO STEP UP AND ASSUME A LEADERSHIP ROLE IN THE JINN.

THERE IS NO GOING BACK. THIS IS VERY IMPORTANT. TO US AND TO YOU.

THIS HAS THE NUMBER YOU WILL NEED. DO NOT USE ANY OTHER DEVICE TO COMMUNICATE WITH THEM.

WE HAVE ALREADY TOLD THEM IT WILL HAPPEN IN DUBAI.

THE REST IS UP TO YOU. YOU KNOW DUBAI WELL, YES?

YES. IT'LL BE EASIER THERE THAN HERE.

YOU'RE AN INTERESTING MAN, ARUN SINGH. WE MUST GET TO KNOW EACH OTHER BETTER. YOUR FUTURE WITH THE JINN IS BRIGHT.

DUBAI, FOUR HOURS LATER

THIS IS A GOOD SPOT. NOBODY COMES NEAR THIS PLACE AFTER WHAT HAPPENED HERE.

THERE ARE SQUATTERS. YOU SAW THE LIGHTS.

WE'LL SHOW UP EARLY, YOU CAN CLEAR THEM OUT.

YOU'RE IN THE WRONG NEIGHBORHOOD.

BETTER STEER CLEAR, SADIQI. THE HEAD OF THE JINN HEARS YOU FUCKED WITH ME, HE'S GOING TO HAVE HIMSELF A NEW LAB RAT.

BAM BAM

ONE LESS TO WORRY ABOUT LATER.

LET'S HEAD DOWN TO THE TRADE CENTER. TIME TO SET IT UP.

YES?

THIS IS SINGH. I WILL BE IN ROOM 2765 OF THE EMIRATE INTERNATIONAL HOTEL IN ONE HOUR. SEND ONE MAN. OR ONE WOMAN, I DON'T CARE. I'LL LEAVE A KEY FOR YOU AT THE FRONT DESK.

DROP ME A FEW BLOCKS FROM THE HOTEL. THEY'LL BE WATCHING.

FIRST THERE'S ONE MORE THING SALAR WANTED US TO DO. LET ME SEE YOUR PHONE.

SALAR AND WASIM WANT TO HEAR HOW YOU HANDLE IT.

FAIR ENOUGH. CAN'T BE TOO CAREFUL.

SHOWTIME. LISTEN, I KNOW YOU WANT TO FOLLOW ME, BUT IF YOU DO, THE WHOLE THING WILL GET FUCKED UP BECAUSE THEY'LL BE WATCHING. IF THEY SEE ME BEING FOLLOWED, THEY'LL THINK SALAR DOESN'T TRUST ME. AND IF THEY THINK SALAR DOESN'T TRUST ME, WHY SHOULD THEY DO BUSINESS WITH ME?

SALAR SAID--

SALAR SAID I AM HANDLING THE DEAL. THIS IS HOW I AM HANDLING IT.

YOU WANT TO TAIL ME AND FUCK IT UP, YOU CAN EXPLAIN THAT TO WASIM LATER WHILE HE SHARPENS HIS SCALPELS.

MR. SINGH.

WHICH ONE OF YOU IS STAYING?

COME ON, NOW, THERE'S NO NEED--

POP - POP POP

I SAID ONE. NOW ARE WE DOING BUSINESS?

...YEAH.

DIAL YOUR PHONE AND HAND IT TO ME.

HELLO. THIS IS SINGH. YOU'RE USED TO PEOPLE BEING FRIGHTENED OF YOU. I GET IT. YOU'RE TOUGH GUYS. BUT NOW YOU'RE DEALING WITH THE JINN, MY FRIEND.

POP

"THE JINN FEAR NO ONE. NOW LET'S GET DOWN TO BUSINESS."

PRIORITY TO ITP OMAN, FWD LYON ASAP. WE ARE GO REPEAT GO. THIS IS OUR CHANCE.

WILL NEED ALL AVAILABLE ASSETS. COORDS AND TIME ATTACHED.

JINN WILL BE PRESENT ARMED AND JUMPY. LIKEWISE OTHER PARTY. CIVILIAN PRESENCE POSSIBLE.

PURCHASING BOTH GUNS AND MILITARY GRADE AUGS, SOURCE OF LATTER UNCERTAIN. DO NOT RESPOND TO THIS NUMBER. TELL ROURKE I WANT MY C100.

COVER SECURE. DO NOT BURN ME BUT DO BE READY TO EXTRACT ON MY CUE.

SINGH

MESSAGE SENT

FIRE EXTINGUISHER

CHIRP CHIRP

SINGH.

I GUESS YOU WERE SERIOUS ABOUT ONE MAN.

I'M A CHARMING AND FUNNY GUY, BUT THIS IS BUSINESS. WE HAVE TO BE ABLE TO TRUST EACH OTHER IF WE'RE GOING TO DO BUSINESS. NOW YOU KNOW THAT WHEN I SAY SOMETHING, I MEAN IT.

I'M ADDING ROOM CLEANING TO THE PRICE.

FAIR ENOUGH. YOU HAVE THE COORDINATES AND THE TIME. SEE YOU THERE, MR. ...?

SEE YOU THERE, MR. SINGH.

CLICK

LET'S MOVE.

IS IT ON?

YOU HEARD WHAT HAPPENED.

"DUBAI?"

WE'RE IN PRAGUE, JOE. THE OMAN TEAM CAN BE THERE IN TWO HOURS. IT'LL TAKE US ALL NIGHT.

LYON WANTED TO SEND OMAN, BUT YOU'RE THE BETTER TEAM, JIM. WE CAN'T RISK OMAN BLOWING THIS OP. THEN WE WOULD LOSE SINGH AND THE CHANCE TO ROLL UP WHOEVER'S SELLING TO THE JINN.

IT'S GOING TO BE TIGHT, JOE. I'LL GET THE TEAM GOING, BUT WE'VE BEEN ON THIS KIDNAPPING OPERATION...

THE KIDNAPPERS CAN WAIT. THIS IS A PRIORITY OP. WE'VE SPENT THREE YEARS GETTING AN AGENT INTO A POSITION OF TRUST INSIDE THE JINN, AND WE CANNOT AFFORD TO LOSE HIM.

I WANT TO HEAR THAT YOU'RE IN THE AIR IN THIRTY MINUTES.

OKAY. WE'RE ON IT.

TASK FORCE 29.

HOPE NONE OF YOU HAD ANY BREAKFAST PLANS. WE'RE GOING TO TAKE A QUICK TRIP TO DUBAI.

SALAR. IT'S ON. NOW MAYBE YOU SHOULD SEND ME THE ACCOUNT CODES SO I CAN PAY FOR WHAT WE'RE GETTING?

GOOD. MA'AL SALAMAH.

"WE WILL BE CRASHING A LITTLE PARTY BETWEEN THE JINN AND A BLACK-MARKET ARMS MERCHANT. ONE OF OURS IS EMBEDDED IN THE JINN. HIS NAME IS ARUN SINGH. YOU ALL HAVE HIS DOSSIER NOW."

WE ARE GOING TO DISRUPT THIS SALE WITHOUT BLOWING SINGH'S COVER. MISSION PRIORITIES ARE CAPTURING THE SELLERS AND LEARNING THE ORIGIN OF THE MERCHANDISE.

WHAT IS THE MERCHANDISE?

WEAPONS AND MILITARY-GRADE AUGMENTATIONS.

SMILEY, ROURKE, CHANG, STAY CLOSE TO YOUR TERMINALS. FIELD TEAM, WE LEAVE IN THIRTY MINUTES. WHATEVER YOU HAVE TO DO, GET IT DONE BEFORE THEN.

WHY AREN'T THEY SENDING OMAN?

THAT'S ABOVE MY PAY GRADE, JENSEN...AND WAY ABOVE YOURS.

FULL BRIEFING EN ROUTE. CHIKANE, GET THE BIRD WARMED UP. NOW IT'S TWENTY-NINE MINUTES. MOVE.

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